

Mr. Powell -

Far too much of our lives are over-exposed by this media-crazed culture of ours. And tragically, what does get insensitively exposed is the seedy side of our existence. Besides completely disconnecting there are very few places of refuge. Satellite Radio happens to be one of those places for me. For \$10 a month, I get to completely eradicate the carnival barkers trying to sell the latest car, drug or hollywood movie from my daily commute. And for that reason, I will never switch back.

I pay a premium to avoid the advertisements, promotions, and under-educated DJs and I don't want an organization like the National Association of Broadcasters deciding on what I should be able to listen to. Therefore, I respectfully urge you and the rest of the commission to reject the NAB's petition 04-160 and to support satellite radio's ability to provide the kind of programming that I desire and deserve.